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Happenings in and Around Frank

W. J. McGowan returned from Vancouver on Tuesday.

Jos. Tompkins has assumed the management of the Rocky Mountain Sanatorium.

A. C. Kemmis, of Pincher Creek, was in town this week, and registered at the Sanatorium.

J. F. Sterling, who had been here supervising the examinations at the Sanatorium, returned to Edmonton this week.

About seventy mine workers wrote papers at the recent sitting at the Sanatorium. The sessions closed on Saturday last.

Alex. McCulloch, of Carmangay, who spent last week at the Rocky Mountain Sanatorium writing exam. papers, returned home the beginning of this week.

W. Barrington Rielly, vice-president and managing director of the Rocky Mountain Cement Co., was in town from Calgary during the week, and registered at the Sanatorium.

W. J Scott, who has the contract to move the buildings of the Canadian Coal Consolidated Co. to the new townsite, commenced work Monday, and already several buildings have been transformed into moving mansions.

BORN—A seven-pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Howard N. Wiest, of Frank, on Friday the 13th. Mother and son are getting along nicely. Mr. Wiest is the fuel inspector at Bellevue mine for the Oregon-Washington R. R and Navigation Co.

C. Vinet, who for the past several months has been managing the affairs of the Rocky Mountain Sanatorium hotel, left for Calgary Tuesday night. Mr. Vinet takes charge of the Sherman hotel at Calgary, and his many friends in the Crow's Nest Pass wish him every success in his new undertaking.

The following were among those registered at the Rocky Mountain Sanatorium during the week: L. L. Ponsford, A. Gatti, M. Gatti Vancouver; S. Scranton and wife, A. W. Baker, W. Barrington Rielly, G. F. Snowden, A. G. Findlay, H. C. Berry, Fred. F. Collins, W. F. McNeill, H. L. Stephens, Thos. Loney, F. W. Burton, Calgary; R. E. MacLiffe, W. A. Moore, Winnipeg; George A. Scovill, E. D. Bennett, F. F. Woodcock, Medicine Hat; S. Shone, Bellevue; S. A. Fraser, E.L. Connors, W. Embury, A. C. Kemmis, Pincher Creek; R. W. Taylor, Jas. Dougall, Passburg; H. C. Lancaster, Lundbreck; J. H. Sutherland and wife, Macleod; G. Kossoff, Fernie; D. de Bregy, Paris, France; J.W. Naldergrove, Seattle, Wash; E.T. Fitzsimmons, Burmis; J. F. Sterling, C. H. Bellanger, T. Hookes, R. McDonald, Edmonton; L. Smith, Bloomfield, Ill.; L. Ryan, "Dear Old Killarney;" J. Moffatt, Spokane; C. McLean, P.E. McGaw, S. A. Williams, Lethbridge.

If you knew of the real value of Chamberlain's Liniment for lame back, soreness of the muscles, sprains and rheumatic pains, you would never wish to be without it. For sale by all dealers.

China Borrows $50,000,000

London, Sept. 11.—An agreement for a loan to China of $50,000,000 at 5 per cent for 40 years was signed August 30 by the Chinese minister and a representative of Lloyd's bank. The loan is secured upon unpledged revenue, chiefly the salt duty. It is free of control and supervision, which proved an obstacle to the loan by the six nation group. The salt duty is to be controlled by the British inspector general of customs in case of default. Wendell Jackson, an American, is said to have arranged the agreement. It is contended in some quarters that the Chinese minister was without power to sign the agreement.

Farewell to C. Vinet

On Monday evening a farewell banquet was tendered Mr. Charles Vinet, the retiring manager of the Rocky Mountain Sanatorium, on the occasion of his departure for Calgary.

Mr. Vinet, since his arrival some months ago, has made many friends in Frank and The Pass. In general, as was testified by the host of boys who gathered to wish him God Speed in his new venture. It is largely owing to "Charlie" that the Rocky Mountain Sanatorium has gained the reputation of being a hostelry which is second to none in the southern country.

Mr. H. H Fitzsimmons acted as toastmaster and, if it is need-less to add, left nothing to be desired.

Those present included J. F. Sterling, F. Aspinall, A. Rottlair, J. D. J. Tomkins, J. M. Whidden, P. Carothers, S. Smith, R. W. Thompson, H. N. Wiest, L. Ryan, S. B. Rourke, J. Tompkins, J. Moffat and T.L. Ferguson.

Hillcrest Happenings

The 12½ turnip, grown in Hillcrest, is attracting quite a little attention and there is some talk of exhibiting it at the Dry Farming Congress next month.

The Raymond-Bell Company performed here last Monday evening before a large and appreciative audience. The play, "Zeke, the Country Boy," is one of the best comedies so far produced in The Pass, and the Bell Company are to be complemented on their original production and scenery.

The Co-operative Society at Hillcrest have now opened a "pipes and tobacco department" and their stock of pipes is admitted to be the best in The Pass. It is now possible to buy a decent pipe right here at home and from the numerous sales already recorded in this line a new stock will soon have to be purchased.

The dance held at Hillcrest last Saturday evening was an unqualified success. The Hillcrest orchestra was again to the front and well merit the applause that greeted every time they played up them. It is a moot point if Hillcrest can keep dancing every night through the winter have to Hillcrest, and if last Saturday's attendance and programme are to be taken as a fair average attendance the promoters certainly will lose neither money nor prestige in their venture. As we have to depend entirely upon our own efforts for amusements during the winter we hope that the proposed weekly dances will gain the backing of all the young people in town.

There has been quite a little talk in town lately regarding the erection of an open air rink this fall. Joe Brohler, backed by three or four others in town, have gone into the matter thoroughly and are convinced that if, say twenty-five subscribe about five dollars apiece, it would be quite possible to finance the scheme. The promoters would be glad to hear from all interested, as now is the time to get the good work started. Five dollars is as cheap as anyone can purchase a season ticket at any rink, even should it be impossible to make the scheme pay during the coming winter. But with the number of sportsmen we have in Hillcrest and the few sports that are practicable during our four months' of severe weather there is every reason for the rink more than paying for itself.

It is at present too early to say anything regarding the big smoker held on Wednesday, but from all accounts it is going to be the biggest affair of its kind yet seen in this portion of The Pass. The proprietors of the Bellevue and Southern hotels at Bellevue, the wholesale store at Frank, Frank Boseley and numerous others have already contributed their share of the evening's refreshments which is quite some little much. The cup will be presented by Mr. Graham of the P. Burns Co., and the programme, a copy of which we were permitted to see, promises all kinds of fun. We are going out well principally with the hope of seeing a Guzzuk at close range and trust that we are not already doomed to disappointment.

As our Burmis friend waits to have a squint at our hand before calling, we are quite willing to give him our line up. Casey Jones is goalkeeper, Mutt and Jeff will play back, Sunny Jim Sausage and Consertina Joe pose as half backs, while on the forward line we'll have Ignatis Stelmazerski, Neerli Blominosoff, Kwasichenovich Kawaykywn (centre), Pacificatus Dingbeitcus and Wilhelm der Deutschlander. Referee, Encyclopedia Britannica. Guess that ought to scare any set of Guzzuks that ever tried to fling hot air. But see next week's issue and note the protest from Burmis regarding playing men from all over The Pass. "I say, ain't blawsted well fair to ply the bloomin' Hempsters."

QUERY—Did you hear that squeak? That's Burmis!

Happenings in and Around Bellevue

W. J. Cole is building an addition to his pool room.

A. J. Blais, of Frank, was a business visitor to town on Monday.

James McNeill is erecting a dwelling house on Connolly's townsite.

The stork visited the home of Dr. MacKenzie on Thursday and left a fine big daughter.

Edward Atkinson is in Fernie this week, attending the social given by the I.C.S.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Turner and family of Springhill, N. S. have arrived in town.

Work on the new Union bank building is progressing favorably under contractor Whiller.

Bob Dickens has arrived in town from Toronto and taken a position as machinist at the Bellevue mine.

Charles Harvey has dropped into town from Springhill, Nova Scotia, and started to work at the mine.

Pay-day did not come on Friday as was expected, and the mines are idle till pay-day comes, in consequence.

Miss Rogers, of the teaching staff, returned from a holiday trip east on Monday, and resumed her duties all smiles.

George Turner, of Gerrard, B.C., is visiting in Bellevue, the guest of his brother James. He intends staying a few days.

Thomas Bennett who had been away for some time at Athabasca Landing and Peace River, returned home Monday night.

Peter Guelas, who left here some time ago for Roosville, Banff, returned on Saturday. He thinks Bellevue is a lively place to stay home, Peter!

S. Humble is putting up a warehouse on the lot next to his hardware store. Mr. Humble's present building is altogether too small for his extensive trade.

D. J. Keith, pit-boss at the Kipp colliery, was a visitor to Bellevue on Tuesday, the guest of James Machel. He went to Frank Thursday to sit for super's papers.

Rev. W. H. Irwin went to Edmonton on Monday and returns Saturday. On Sunday he leaves on his mission to Toronto and will be absent about three or four weeks.

William Miller, father of Walter Miller, arrived in Bellevue on Wednesday of last week. Mr. Miller is from South Ashton, Yorkshire, England, and is enjoying his trip through Western Canada.

A grand ball will be given in the Socialist hall on Tuesday next, September 24th, under the auspices of the Polish citizens of Bellevue. Refreshments will be served. Dancing commences at 8 o'clock sharp. Tickets $1.00, ladies free. Everybody welcome.

Don't forget the big concert to be held in the Socialist hall on Monday night, September 23rd. An error occurs on the tickets that have been issued, which reads Thursday the 26th instead of Monday the 23rd, so you are asked to remember the 23rd.

Rev. W. H. Irwin, while in Edmonton, will interview the minster of education concening certain difficulties in connection with the Bellevue school district. At present we have only two small rooms, which can only accommodate 90 pupils while there are upwards of 160 children in town who would attend school were space and teaching staff available. It is proposed to erecta four-roomed school building.

NOTICE

WINDY MOUNTAIN Mineral Claim

SITUATE in the Lethbridge Dominion Lands District.

WHERE LOCATED:—Lot 17, Group 1, in Section 2, Township 5, Range 3, West 5th Meridian.

TAKE NOTICE that I, GERALD GARDNER, intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above Claim.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action, under Section No. 45, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

DATED at Frank, Alberta, this 12th day of September, 1912.

NOTICE

LIVINGSTONE Mineral Claim

SITUATE in the Lethbridge Dominion Lands District.

WHERE LOCATED:—Lot 18, Group 1, in Section 2, Township 5, Range 3, West 5th Meridian.

TAKE NOTICE that I, WALTER GARDNER, intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action, under Section No. 45, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

DATED at Burmis, Alberta, this 12th day of September, 1912.

NOTICE

SUPERIOR Mineral Claim

SITUATE in the Lethbridge Dominion Lands District.

WHERE LOCATED:—Lot 24, Group 14, in Sections 27 and 34, Township 6, Range 3, West 5th Meridian.

TAKE NOTICE that I, THOMAS THOMSON, intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above Claim.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action, under Section No. 45, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

DATED at Burmis, Alberta, this 12th day of September, 1912.

NOTICE

ALBERTA Mineral Claim.

SITUATE in the Lethbridge Dominion Lands District.

WHERE LOCATED:—Lot 20, Group 14, in Section 27, Township 5, Range 3, West 5th Meridian.

TAKE NOTICE that I, THOMAS THOMSON, intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above Claim.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action, under Section No. 45, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

DATED at Burmis, Alberta, this 12th day of September, 1912.

NOTICE

BLUE GROUSE Mineral Claim

SITUATE in the Lethbridge Dominion Lands District.

WHERE LOCATED:—Lot 19, Group 14, in Sections 22 and 27, Township 6, Range 3, West 5th Meridian.

TAKE NOTICE that I, THOMAS THOMSON, intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above Claim.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action, under Section No. 45, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

DATED at Burmis, Alberta, this 12th day of September, 1912.

NOTICE

ROCK BLUFF Mineral Claim

SITUATE in the Lethbridge Dominion Lands District.

WHERE LOCATED:—Lot 23, Group 14, in Section 34, Township 5, Range 3, West 5th Meridian.

TAKE NOTICE that I, AUGUSTUS CARNEY, intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above Claim.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action, under Section No. 45, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

DATED at Burmis, Alberta, this 12th day of September, 1912.

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SILK COAT OVER WET FROCK.

Fetching summer out of door costumes are accompanied by monocles, which hang on long jeweled chains or ribbons with jeweled slides. This costume shows a silk coat worn over a net frock, and the monocle gives a dash of knowing smartness echoed by high heeled satin boots with glass buttons.

USEFUL SUGGESTIONS.

Ways to Overcome Difficulties Encountered by Housekeepers.

Roasting in a gas stove causes meat to dry, as gas causes a very dry heat. The simplest way to prevent this is to place a common jam pot half filled with water in a corner of the bottom of the oven, and when the water heats the steam will keep the air inside quite moist, and it will be found when the meat is done that it will be quite juicy.

A woman who has tried it declares the best way to mend china is to apply a little carriage varnish carefully with a camel's hair brush to the edge of the broken china, the parts being neatly joined together. The fracture will, when thoroughly dry, be hardly perceptible, and the china will stand fire and water.

Old kid gloves are excellent for putting in iron and kettle holders as padding when making them. With such padding the hot handles will not scorch the hands.

When ironing circular centerpieces or tablecloths see that the iron moves with the straight grain of the cloth. In this way only is it possible to preserve the circular edge in its true line.

When you go to visit the sick do not forget that a good laugh is one of the best tonics and a bit of humorous gossip or piquant saying is better than any drugs. Make the invalid smile if you cannot start up a laugh, but make your visit short. Remember that too much of a good thing is as bad as too little.

Mr. Henpeck's Version.

Mr. Henpeck—Is your beef tender today?

Butcher—Yes, sir; it's as tender as a woman's heart.

Mr. Henpeck—Then I'll take a pound of sausage.

Skin All Covered With Eruption

N. Henri Tardif.

Tried Many Remedies 3 or 4 Years. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured.

A Quebec man, N. Henri Tardif, of St. Casimir, writes in a letter dated Mar. 31, 1911:

"I had a very bad skin, all covered with eruption, eight years ago. I have had all of both my shoulders covered with it, and the high part of my arms, and my face, but it was the worst on my shoulders. I tried many different remedies to cure it, but nothing was any good. At last I went to an apothecary. He asked me if I had ever used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I told him no, and I bought a box of Cuticura Ointment and a cake of Cuticura Soap. I used three boxes of Cuticura Ointment, but I am glad of the same, for Cuticura Soap and Ointment completely cured me of my skin eruption. I spread the Cuticura Ointment on all my sore parts, as I think that in washing my face with the Cuticura Soap, it hindered my eruption from healing, and burning. I tried many remedies during three or four years but Cuticura Soap and Ointment cured me." (Signed) N. Henri Tardif.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold throughout the world, but to those who have suffered much, and hope and are without fa ith in any treatment, a liberal sample of each with a 32-p. booklet on the skin and scalp will be mailed free, on application. Address Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., 30 Columbus Ave., Boston, U. S. A.

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THE DRUMMER WAS SAVED.

Despite the Dangers of His Life Saving Rubber Suit.

ANOTHER one of the stories which Frank Jones used to tell on himself is repeated by Al Campbell, who knew the dead drummer keeper very well.

"Jones was born in Wales," said Campbell, "but when a young man lived in Bucyrus, O. They had a volunteer fire department there, and Jones was made chief.

"The citizens took such an interest in us," said Jones in telling the story, 'that they chipped in and bought us fire laddies new suits. Across the breast of each suit was the motto, "We Live to Save," and on mine above the motto was the word "Chief" in very large letters, reaching nearly the width of the motto.

"One day," Jones went on in his usual droll way, 'the hotel caught fire. Now, when "the" hotel catches fire in a small town it means something. This hotel was three stories high, and we believed it the largest in the known world, having seen none any larger.

"When the fire bell rang all of us ran home to get our new suits on before attempting to fight such a fire. When we reassembled, one by one, that hotel was certainly going some. In a third story window was a man who, so I learned later, traveled for a wholesale rubber house. He said something about how he would like to be saved, but we could not understand him.

"This fellow got real mad and, going back in his room, put on some kind of a rubber suit, which he blew up. Then he leaped from that awful tall building, three stories high. He struck the ground and bounced back as high as the top of the hotel.'

"Was he saved?' generally asked the bystanders for whom the story was intended.

"Finally," said Jones, 'but I had to empty a six shooter into that demed inflated suit before I eventually got him down to earth.'"—Kansas City Journal.

Education a Failure.

Senator Robert L. Owen of Oklahoma, whose mother was a Cherokee Indian, stirred up some excitement down Oklahoma way in one of the first assaults he ever tried.

The opposing counsel saw fit to call Owen a liar.

Owen got up and addressed himself to the court in about this language:

"Inasmuch as the court has done nothing to maintain its own dignity and as I am amply able to take care of myself, I shall take this affair into my own hands."

Then he turned to the lawyer across the table and remarked to him in a loud voice that he was both a liar and a blackguard and that, furthermore, he could just take that, and that, and that! Whereupon the opposing counsel fell to the floor as one man. Owen had used only his fist, but everybody in the courtroom did, not knowing when bullets might be in the air.

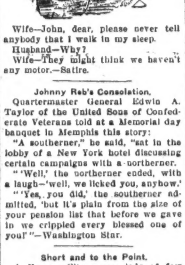
After the affair was over the lawyer who had called Owen a liar stood on the front steps of the courthouse and observed to a couple of friends:

"I was never much in favor of educating these Cherokee boys, anyhow!"—Washington Herald.

Comparisons.

After a girl has gazed at the diamond in her first engagement ring everything else looks small and insignificant to her.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Reasonable Assumption.



Wife—John, dear, please never tell anybody that I walk in my sleep.

Husband—Why?

Wife—They might think we haven't any motor.—Satire.

Johnny Rab's Consolation.

Quartermaster General Edwin A. Taylor of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans told at a Memorial day banquet in Memphis this story:

"A southerner," he said, "sat in the lobby of a New York hotel discussing certain campaigns with a northerner.

"'Well,' the northerner ended, with a laugh—'well, we licked you, anyhow.'

"'Yes, you did,' the southerner admitted, 'but it's plain from the size of your pension list that before we gave in we crippled every blessed one of you!'"—Washington Star.

Short and to the Point.

A Kansas City young lady of few words went to a dentist to have a tooth extracted.

"Pull it!" she said to the dentist.

"All right," replied the dentist. He applied the roculne, adjusted his forceps, and out came the tooth.

"Want it?" he asked the young lady, holding the tooth before her.

"Want it!" she exclaimed. "Want it! What for? Do you think I'm an Elk?"—Saturday Evening Post.

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HUDSON BAY TIMBER

Experienced Cruiser Describes Split Lake Conditions.

Interesting observations with regard to the timber of the Hudson Bay Region (the southern part of the district of Keewatin) are found in the 1911 report of the Director of Forestry, published as part of the Annual Report of the Department of the Interior for 1911.

Mr. J. T. G. Whyte, an experienced timber cruiser and fire ranger (who has since been drowned while in discharge of his duty) reports on the conditions of the forest around Split Lake on an area of about 2400 square miles. This whole territory was originally covered with forest. The island, in Split Lake still bear Spruce, Tamarack and Jack Pine, large enough for railway ties, poles and lumber.

All the rest of the country has been burned over at least once within the past forty or fifty years, and the timber which dates from the last fire, rarely exceeds three or four inches in diameter. The shores of Split Lake have been burned over, on an average once every season. Fortunately in this district the soil is usually deep, and can always support another crop of trees. The presence of merchantable forests in protected situations proves that the young forest now started will become sufficiently valuable to support sawmill and pulp industries and supply a large population, if it can be protected from fire. Very little of the land traversed by Mr. Whyte is suitable for agriculture.

Mr. F. T. Blackford, fire ranger at Oxford House, reports similar conditions on about 5400 square miles of territory in that region.

Settling a Dispute

I must insist sir, exclaimed the pompous person that this device is a fire plug.

And I am equally confident that it is a water-plug, retorted the mild individual.

Now, my dear sir, puffed the pompous person, this device was put here primarily as a plug on which to attach a hose in case of fire in the vicinity. Therefore it is absolutely impossible that it can be anything but a fire-plug.

You are entirely wrong, declared the other. This plug was placed here to supply water. Consequently it is a water plug. If it supplied fire—why, then,of course, it would be a fire-plug.

The pompous person stopped a passing pedestrian.

Sir, he began, I desire to appeal to your intelligence. This gentleman has become involved in an argument with me. He insists that this device is a water-plug, while I, with equal confidence, claim that it is a fire-plug. Will you kindly settle the question for us?

Certainly, replied the pedestrian. You say this is a fire-plug, and your friend declares it is a water-plug. Just let me investigate.

He looked carefully at the plug and rapped it gently with his cane.

I greatly fear you are both wrong, he finally remarked. This appears to be an iron plug.

Dressed Fowl

The country had never looked so beautiful. It was the heyday of summer, and the setting sun gilded the roses and glinted on the tiny panes beneath the old thatched roof.

Little Willie, who was a townsfield boy, and had never before visited the country, occupied an old-fashioned stool beside the farmer's wife, marvelling at all around him.

By and by the good lady began to pluck a chicken that was destined for the next day's dinner, and the little boy marveled the more.

As the feathers came from the defunct bird and were dropped into a basket Willie's attention became more and more fixed, and his mind began to work freely. Finally, he could stand it no longer, so he blurted out:

Do you take off their clothes every night, mamie.

The Lawyer Knew

Wichita lawyers are yet talking about the way Wallace B. Baker, who was found guilty last week in the District Court of selling mortgaged property, showed his ignorance of married life. The prosecuting attorney was trying to show that Baker wasn't married. He asked Baker good, easy questions:

Did you ever send your wife any dresses?

Yes I sent her four dresses.

What kind of dresses did you send her?

I sent her one good dress and three common dresses.

How much did you pay for the good dress, Mr. Baker?

Oh, I guess about $4.50.

The lawyers put Mr. Baker down then and there as an unmarried man and a poor guesser.

Razors of Centuries Ago

We wear things and use things daily, of the origin of which we have not the slightest idea, and frequently to be asked concerning their history we would be at a loss to answer.

This is illustrated when two young men well but quietly dressed, were admiring a well-known picture of life in the time of Julius Cæsar which was exhibited in a shop window. One of the men remarked, while looking at the picture, that he wondered how the Romans kept their faces smooth and whether they ever shaved; and if they shaved, what were their razors like? Neither of the men could answer the question, and so they immediately consulted various authorities on the subject and found, to their surprise, that razors were used for shaving in a very early part of the world's history.

The Egyptians used some kind of a razor, though the Levitical code expressly forbade the shaving of the beard. It is believed the primitive shaving instruments were made of sharpened flints. Savages in the remote islands scattered throughout the Pacific, still use two pieces of flint of the same size for this purpose and pieces of shells or shark's teeth are also used.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Gentlemen,—In June, '98, I had my hand and wrist bitten and badly mangled by a vicious horse. I suffered greatly for several days and the tooth cuts refused to heal until your agent gave me a bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT, which, I began using. The effect was magical; in five hours the pain had ceased and in two weeks the wounds had completely healed and my hand and arm were as well as ever.

Yours truly,
A. E. ROY,
Carriage Maker.

St. Antoine, P.Q.

Threshing With Oxen

The methods and implements of agriculture in Cyprus are still somewhat primitive, and the light wooden plough, drawn by oxen, merely turns up the soil a few inches. Steam ploughs, self-binders, etc., are unknown here but every effort is being made by the Agricultural Department to induce the peasantry to adopt more scientific methods and modern implements.

Ploughing commences in January, after the wheat rains, and about March or April the field is cross ploughed. Sowing begins, as a rule, after the autumn rains, and the harvest takes place at the end of May, June, July, and August. The grain is threshed out in a peculiar manner. It is placed on the threshing floor, and threshed out by means of a team of oxen, attached to a board studded with flints, on which sits the driver, and the combined weight of the driver and the roughness of the flints breaks the grain. The straw, which is much broken in this process, is mixed with chaff, and used as fodder.

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George—She sings nicely, doesn't she?

Tom—Oh yes, when she sings they have to close the windows.

George—My goodness! What for?

Tom—Her voice is so sweet it draws the flies.

The time will come, thundered a Suffragist orator, when women will be a man's wages!

Yes, sadly muttered a man on the rear seat—next Saturday night.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

Practical Advice

Mr. Lovelor was one of those people who on every possible occasion consulted his solicitor. Nothing bored him more than to go to law. The lawyers regarded him as an invaluable asset.

I have been grossly insulted! he exclaimed, rushing into the office of his solicitor for the seventh time in three days.

In what way, asked the solicitor, somewhat wearily.

My next-door neighbor has declared he will pull my nose next time he meets me. What shall I do about it?

Well, said the former, as if he had given the case due deliberation, I should soap it; then I will slip through his fingers.—Good day! My bill will follow in due course.

Twenty-Three Years in Bed

The days of our years are three-score years and ten, says the Psalmist; and the man or woman who attains that age spends years of his life in doing what are regarded as common daily actions.

The average person of seventy has spent by fewer than twenty-three years in bed, assuming that his nightly sleep has been eight hours throughout his life. Most people spend about fifteen minutes a day in the care of their feets. Septuagenarians have thus spent almost a year in this way.

How long have they spent at table? Allow half-an hour for each meal and the answer is six years. Add their life times allotted of loaves have been consumed, supposing that the latter are put end to end, leaving tea, coffee and milk, three hundred barrels of liquid have been accounted for.

The office man of seventy has put in five years in walking to the station and to his office. A woman of seventy, even simple in her dress, has taken seven years in clothing herself.

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No so Dusty

'Twas not the month of March, but all the same 'twas gusty and dusty—uncomfortably gusty and dusty, in fact.

Particles of the earth in the form of grit filled one's eyes, ears, nose and mouth, and scraps of Tory newspapers chased shreds of Liberal publications with horrid glee, and with Labor leaflets at their heels.

Mr. Frigid, after much struggling against the blister, at length reached her destination—the grocer's shop.

Yes ma'am! beamed Sandem, hastening forward and paving the counter with eager anticipation.

A pound of tea—and quickly! came the curt retort.

Yes'm. Certainly. Very dusty today, isn't it?

Sadly Mrs. Frigid turned her eyes from the scales.

It always is, she retorted bitterly.

And the wind shrieked its applause.

Of course I am wrong! I am always wrong, am I not? exclaimed an irate husband during an altercation with his wife.

No, dear was the irritatingly sweet answer, not always.

Not always! echoed her husband. Why, whenever did you allow that I was right.

Last week, dear, when you admitted you were wrong. I said you were right then in confessing it.

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The Important Point

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I dunno, said the visitor. Things look good. But tell me this—

Well?

What kind of a ball-team have you?

A WOMAN'S WISDOM.

The worried mother wakes up to hear her baby's heavy breathing, a little cough—perhaps the croup or whooping cough. She does not want to send for the doctor when perhaps the trouble does not amount to much. Finally she thinks of that medical book her father gave her, The Common Sense Medical Adviser, by R. V. Pierce, M.D. She says "just the thing to find out what is the matter with the little dear." Two million households in this country own one—and it's to be had for only 31c. in stamps—1,000 pages in splendid cloth binding. A good family adviser in any emergency. It is for either sex. This is what many women write Dr. Pierce—in respect to his "Favorite Prescription," a remedy which has made thousands of melancholy and miserable women happy, by curing the painful womanly diseases which undermine a woman's health and strength.

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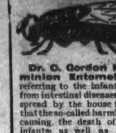

Dr. C. Gordon Hewitt, Dominion Entomologist, referring to the infantile death rate from intestinal diseases and diarrhoea spread by the house fly, he believes that the so-called harmless fly is yearly causing the death of thousands of infants as well as spreading the germs of typhoid fever.

WILSON'S FLY PADS

are the best thing to rid your house of these dangerous pests.

King of the Barbers

The sudden death of Chaudri Lala Mesh, the head barber of Madras, at Veerapps Varar, Coil Street, Mylapore, recently, has disclosed interesting details about the working of the barber fraternity of Madras.

The fraternity has been in existence for over 150 years. Chaudri is commonly known in the North of India as barbiator, or king of the barbers, amongst the barbers of Madras carries a much bigger position. He is their head and their judge. He has eight counsellors, or jurors, and he decides cases that come up before him with their aid.

The Chaudri's post is a life appointment. When he dies, forty days after his death a mass meeting of barbers is held, and the vacancy is filled.

The elected man from precedence should have been a juror, should be a man of good birth, education, and character. The barber fraternity of Madras now consists of 160 Mohammedan barbers, and will meet at the Mohammedan barbers' mosque in Portuguese Church Street, North Georgetown, which is supported by the Mohammedan barbers of Madras, and by the fines levied by the Chaudri, to elect their Chaudri from one of the jurors, and place on the jury one of their own men.

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Ivory from Milk

One of the latest discoveries of the synthetic chemists is how to make ivory out of nothing more wonderful than cow's milk—and very good ivory at that, according to all accounts. The original idea was to use the new ivory for piano and organ keys because it preserves its original color indefinitely, whereas the genuine article turns yellow after a time.

But it has been found that the new product is not only an efficient substitute for ivory, but can easily be prepared so as to take the place of amber, horn, coral, celluloid, and such like products, and it is claimed, can hardly be distinguished from them.

It is in its position as a substitute for ivory that the new material has caused most surprise, however, because it has the appearance of being another instance of improving upon Nature. The new ivory takes a very high and lasting polish, and will probably not lack a commercial field for itself, as natural ivory continues to grow scarcer and dearer year by year.

Pulled Puzzled, and Perplexed

In the barroom of the village hostelry they were discussing the habits and manners of some of the summer visitors.

That there well-dressed chap, said one yokel, pointing to someone outside in the street—why, 'e combs his 'air every morning!

The others listened in astonishment.

Dahno 'ow 'e stands it, went on the spokesman. I only combs mine once a week and then it werry nigh lugs my 'ed off!

Kidder—That fellow makes a living writing light fiction.

Kidder—He doesn't look like a literary chap.

Kidder—He's not. He makes out accounts for the electric light company.

Ikey (to father)—Father, what is extravagance?

Father (to Ikey)—Extravagance, my son, is wearing a tie when you've got a band.

Tain't Funny

An Elephant Dentist

The elephant at the Riverdale Zoo acts as its own dentist. A short time ago it pulled a tooth which had been bothering it, the operation being witnessed by a number of persons who were watching the animal at the time.

It appeared to be in pain, and worked its trunk round in its mouth as though to dislodge something unpleasant. At last, after moving its trunk frantically, the animal drew something from its mouth. It cast the tooth thus extracted out of the enclosure. The molar was large, and had evidently broken off in the gum, as all the root did not come out.

The crown was in a good state of preservation, but there were signs of decay lower down.

DISTRESS FROM INDIGESTION

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You cannot make a greater mistake than to think that indigestion is confined to the stomach. It is a disease of the liver and bowels, and it is only by getting these organs healthy and active that you can ever hope to cure chronic indigestion.

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The baboon Freighth of India is usually commercial; but recently a baboon lawyer offered a fine example in aid defence of a woman client.

My learned friend with mere wind from a teapot thinks to frighten me my from my legs, he asserted. He had probably a "tempest in a teacup" in mind. I only, seek, he continued earnestly, to place my bone of contention clearly in your honor's eye.

An Indian station-master, having been annoyed by a certain female m'lk-hawker, addressed the following remonstrance to her employer.

Honored Sir,—I beg you will remove your handmaiden of milk, as she is not a good-fellow, and we cannot stand her cheeks.

The Man With Asthma, almost longs for death to end his suffering. He sees about only years of useless torment with intervals of rest which are themselves fraught with nervous dread for fear of renewed attacks. Let him turn to Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy and know what complete relief it can give. Let him but use it faithfully and he will find his asthma a thing of the past.

The Population of the Ocean

A striking proof of the vastness and variety of the population of the sea is furnished by a committee of the zoological department of the British Association in that part of the Irish Sea surrounding the Isle of Man.

Out of the 1,000 species marine animals collected 724 never before had been found in that region, 38 were previously unknown as inhabitants of the British waters, and 17 were entirely new to science. Indeed, they were animals whose existence had never been suspected.—New York Herald.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Difficult Occupation

That everything should be in its own place is a matter not only of convenience, but of necessity for some people, and some animals. Certain orders of intellect run smoothly in accustomed grooves, but have no ability to meet any unusual occasion. Such was the limited mental range of an employe of a traveling menagerie.

The showman was repeating his lesson like a schoolboy. He was enlarging on the peculiarities of the ostrich of Africa, upon the uncanny form of which the visitors were supposed to be gazing.

But, my friend, someone said, in an undertone, to that functionary, that is not the ostrich of Africa; that is the pelican of Australia.

They're always playing jokes on me, exclaimed the showman plaintively. How can a cove tell which is which if they goes on a-changing of the cage when his back is turned.

FAMILY RUNT

Kansas Man Says Coffee Made Him That

"Coffee has been used in our family of eleven—father, mother, five sons and four daughters—for thirty years: I am the eldest of the boys and have always been considered the runt of the family and a coffee toper.

"I continued to drink it for years until I grew to be a man, and then I found I had stomach trouble, nervous headaches poor circulation, was unable to do a full day's work, took medicine for this that, and the other thing, without the least benefit. In fact I only weighed 116 when I was 26.

"Then I changed from coffee to Postum, being the first one in our family to do so. I noticed as did the rest of the family, that I was surely gaining strength and flesh. Shortly after I was visiting my cousin who said, 'You look so much better, you're getting fat.'

"At breakfast his wife passed me a cup of coffee, as she knew I was always such a coffee drinker, but I said, 'No, thank you.'

"'What! said my cousin, 'you quit coffee? What do you drink?'

"'Postum,' I said, 'or water, and I am well.' They did not know what Postum was, but my cousin had stomach trouble and could not sleep at night from drinking coffee three times a day. He was glad to learn about Postum; but said he never knew coffee hurt anyone." (Tea is just as injurious as coffee because it contains caffeine, the same drug found in coffee.)

"After understanding my condition and how I got well he knew what to do for himself. He discovered that coffee was the cause of his trouble as he never used tobacco or anything else of the kind. You should see the change in him now. We both believe that if persons who suffer from coffee drinking would stop and use Postum they could build back to health and happiness." Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont.

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Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

IN THE MANSION YARD

There's no need now to look about my feet,
Or lift a cautious chair
But tears of old years my senses chest
And still I think him there.

Along the hearth-rug stretched in full content,
Fond of the fire as I—
Ah! he knows some things with the old dog went
I had not thought could die.

The flawless faith mankind not often earn,
Nor give, he gave to me,
And that deep fondness in his eyes did burn
Mine own were shamed to see.

And though to men great lais lais is
But while who wears her veil,
This love looked on my stark infirmities
Life-long and did not fail.

And is it clean gone? Nay, an Indian's
Have I, and even in heaven,
If heaven be mine, I pray some humble part
To earth-joys may be given—

Far down the ringing streets, some quiet yard,
Drowsy with afternoon
A bees, with young grass dandelion-starred,
And lilacs breathing June—

Across whose mossy walls the rolling psalms,
Like dream-songs, come aloud,
Shall float, and flying angels vex our calms
No more than flying cloud—

Some nook within my Father's House, where still
He lets me hide old toys
Nor shames me even if foolish memory will
Play with long laid-by joys.

There may my friend await, as once on earth,
My step, my hand's caress,
And naught of Heaven-town mingle with our mirth
But everlastingness.

—By William Harvey Woods.

Desert Refreshment

From a botanist's point of view, Mexico must surely appear as a veritable paradise. There are so many instances of plants that have been gifted by the bountiful hand of Nature to replace the deficiencies of the place in which they grow.

A remarkable instance is the "bisnaga" or as it is commonly called, the barrel cactus which name serves well to describe its shape. Strange to say, it retains its greatest size in the sun-baked deserts of Mexico, where water is scarce, and where it stores up moisture to provide the weary traveller and his horses with the precious fluid. In these arid regions the water supply sometimes consists of this fluid, and the Indian places his reliance on this plant, even to make his bread.

It varies in size, but the average plant is about 4ft. high and 1½ft. in diameter, and during the rainy season absorbs the water through its roots, and transfers it to millions of cell-like structures in its capacious interior which is composed of a white pulpy mass, and this, on being squeezed gives out its secretion.

A Fair Catch

The annual concerted robbery known as the bazaar, was in full swing.

There was one hero there—a young man, who had strolled all round, and was far beyond buying. He did he intend to do so. But a determined looking young woman tackled him as he passed her stall for the second time.

Won't you buy a nice cigarette-holder? she asked winningly.

Thanks, I don't smoke, replied the brave youth.

Or a pen-wiper? I worked it myself, she added softly.

Thanks, I never write, he repeated again sadly and solemnly.

Then here's a nice box of chocolates. Her tones were getting colder.

Thanks. I don't eat sweets.

Then a grim look came over her fair face, as she produced a plain wooden box from the back of her stall

Sir, she said cuttingly, will you buy this tox of snuff?

And the young man, with a sickly grin, paid up.

Ring Off

Two telephone girls in different country exchanges were having a chat over the wires on the subject of dress. They were both going on the river on the following Sunday afternoon, and the discussion on what they should wear waxed interesting.

For four minutes, five minutes, ten minutes, the topic held their attention, and was still unexhausted, when an impatient, impatient, imperative masculine voice broke up the conversational meeting.

Are you there? the voice yelled. Are—you—there? Hallo! Ah, at last! Who is that speaking? Who—What line d'you think you're on? demanded one of the girls, indignant and annoyed.

Really, came the weary reply, I don't know; but from the discussion that's going on I should think I'm on the clothes line.

While carrying a ladder through the crowded streets of London, the other day, a Irishman was so unfortunate as to break a plate-glass window in a shop. Immediately dropping his ladder, he broke into a run. But he had been seen by the shop-keeper who dashed after him and caught him by the collar.

See here! angrily exclaimed the shop-keeper when he had regained his breath. You have broken my window.

Sure I have, assented Pat; and didn't you see me running home to get the money to pay for it?

About Thunderstorms

Thunderstorms never occur in the Arctic regions. The nearer the equator the more severe are the electric manifestations.

In certain parts of Central Africa the average run of thunderstorms is 250 days per year, yet there are some very curious exceptions. Sumatra and Java, both very hot climates there are only ninety-two storms yearly, and in Borneo only about fifty. The Gold Coast of Africa has only about sixty a year, which is less than occur in Florida, though the latter country is outside the tropics.

In Java there is a thunderstorm every day for five months. Perhaps the most astonishing fact in regard to thunderstorms is that the island of Mauritius, which is only 550 miles east of Madagascar, has on an average only one thunderstorm in eighty years.

Yet in Madagascar the lightning is more destructive than anywhere else in the world, the annual death roll being over three hundred.

Unsatisfactory Evidence

The witness was a young German immigrant whose evidence was required in an accident case.

Now, Britzmann, said the examining counsel, what do you do?

Ah vos bretty well, replied the witness.

I am not inquiring as to your health. I want to know what you do.

Ah vork!

Where do you work? continued the counsel.

In a vactory.

What kind of a factory?

It vos a bretty big vactory.

Your honor, said the lawyer, turning to the judge, if this goes on we'll need an interpreter. Then he turned to the witness again.

Now, Britzman, what do you make in the factory? he asked.

You vant to know vot I make in der vactory?

Exactly! Tell us what you make.

Dwenty shillings and sixpence a week.

Then the interpreter got a chance to earn his daily bread.

Nothing to Crow About

Binks stared at a dilapidated chanticleer with a greatly puzzled expression

It fair beats me, he said.

What does' his friend asked, curiously.

That there rooster. He's a bloomin' mystery, blow me if 'e ain't, he intimated.

How's that?

Well, the beggar's always crowing! You would think it, perhaps, but that blighter there gets up at three every morning lookin' for worms what ain't there. Then 'e crows as if he'd got a cropful. A bit later in the day the farm-girl comes out to feed 'im along with the rest, but a whopplin' big game-cock drives 'im away breakfasticals every time. Then though it seems 'ard to believe, the beggar crows some more! After breakfast 'e goes off to mash some of the stuff he feeds, but then another rooster comes along and chews what's left of his moth-eaten comb, and generally makes a gory mess of 'im. Then 'e comes again.

Well, what about it?

What about it? I'm hanged if I can see what the joser's got to crow about! Can you?

Young Lady—Well, Mrs. Smith, won't you have another piece of cake?

Old Lady (eyeing the ham sandwich)—Well, mum, if it will the same to you I'd rather 'ave a taste o' summat as has drawed breath.

Something Like That

Teacher—The right to have more than one wife is called polygamy. What is it when only one wife is allowed a man?

Willy—Monotony, ma'am.—Lippincott's.

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Forgotten Which?

They were mother and daughter traveling on the briny ocean. It was a cheap trip from Folkestone to Boulogne, and the sea was very rough.

Suddenly the daughter exclaimed: Oh, mamma, it's coming on again worse than ever!

Mamma—Why, you asked her mother, did you not follow out the directions about which your father told you before you left the coast?

Because, answered the daughter, in a faint voice, I've forgotten whether I ought to breathe in as the vessel rises, and let the breath go out as it moves downward, or whether it ought to be the other way. And oh—oh—oh—, I wish I were dead.

Paddy was driving home from the market with his ass and cart when he was accosted by a police-sergeant, who charged him with overloading the donkey.

What weight, he asked, is an ass able to pull?

Faith Guinn, answered Pat, yourself ought to know best. How much can you pull?

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Bellevue, Alta., Fri., Sept. 20, 1912

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Rev. J. F. Hunter made the following statement among others at the Central Baptist church on Sunday night last: "To compel men to work twelve hours a day and seven days in the week, as is done by organized capital in The Pass, is inhuman and criminal, and worse than heathenism."

In the summer of 993 it was so hot and dry that the woods caught fire from the heat of the sun. This was in Europe, and the country around Greenwood was not affected. In the year 627 the springs dried up, and the old-timers died from thirst. That was before they knew how to put beer in bottles. In 1705 it was so hot that meat could be roasted in the rays of the sun. We do not wonder that the ancients believed in hell.—Greenwood Ledge.

Happenings in and Around Blairmore

W. A. Beebe returned Saturday from a business visit to Calgary.

Ralph Maddison left for Chicago by Wednesday night's "flyer."

W. A. Freeburger and H. E. Lyon paid a visit to Granum last week.

Miss M. Sunstrum returned last week from an extended holiday trip.

Rev. Fr. Sammut went to Calgary on Monday and will return to Blairmore Friday.

Misses Shepherd and Latta hold their millinery opening tomorrow (Friday), Sept. 20th.

F. W. Doubt went to Winnipeg on Sunday to attend the Convention of Oddfellows.

There will be a meeting of Conservatives at the office of H. E. Lyon to-night.

H. Lytle, manager of The Printers & Stationers, Lethbridge, paid a visit to Blairmore on Tuesday.

The city fathers will hold their regular bi-monthly meeting on Monday night next.

Catholic church services will be held in Blairmore on Sunday next at 10 a.m., and Frank at 11.15 a.m.

Miss. R. Irwin and Mrs. Walter Scott, of Bellevue, paid a visit to the Pass "Hub" on Saturday night last

Wilfred Goddard returned from Kamloops, B.C., last week, where he had been enjoying a short holiday.

Saturday last was pay day at the mine and cement works, and a big bunch of money was distributed.

Mike Rosse went out to Michel on Monday, on business in connection with a wholesale establishment there.

There are 5,000 delegates to the session of the sovereign grand lodge of Oddfellows at present in Winnipeg.

Mrs. Perrin Baker, who had been visiting her brother-in-law, Dr. A. H. Baker, returned to Bow Island last week.

LOST—A Robe, black on one side and brown on the other, between Blairmore and the Sanatorium. Finder please leave at Sanatorium or 'Enterprise' office and receive reward.

Mr. W. Howe, who has been suffering for some time for rheumatics, was removed to the Frank hospital on Friday.

A. E. Gibson representing Henderson, was in town from Lethbridge this week and is auditing the town books.

Work on water main extensions is advancing rapidly. All the principal streets and avenues are now equipped with service.

Mrs. L. Dutil and children returned on Saturday after a few months stay in Montreal and other Quebec points.

R. M. Brisco hopes to move into his new store next week. Watch for his ad. and dodgers containing the opening announcement.

Two "pick-pockets," arrested during the Lethbridge exhibition have been found guilty and sentenced to three months hard labor.

J. Menard, technical manager of the West Canadian Collieries Co., who has spent several months in France, returned to Blairmore this week.

The Rocky Mountain Cement plant and the Lime Kilns have been working overtime lately in order to cope with the demand for their products.

Mr. McKay and Miss McCallum of the Frank public school, attended the teachers' reception at the Central Baptist church on Friday night.

As will be noticed elsewhere in this issue, the Blairmore Liquor Co., by the right method, are applying for a renewal of their wholesale liquor license.

The new addition to the Alberta hotel was opened up on Monday. The bar is one of the most attractive and elaborately furnished dispensaries in The Crows' Nest Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Hinds, who spent the summer months with their sons Ernest and Francis in Blairmore, returned to their home at Stillwater, Minnesota, on Sunday.

"Zeke, the Country Boy," was greeted by a bumper audience at the opera house Tuesday night. The play was good and displayed great talent on the part of the troupe.

The opera house was well filled on Saturday night last. The moving pictures were more than interesting, while the illustrated songs by Ralph Maddison brought down the house.

The little three-year-old boy of G. Fabro, baker, tumbled from a moving democrat on Eighth Avenue Saturday, receiving several cuts about the head and face, necessitating medical treatment.

A special train conveyed Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and party to Blairmore and Coleman on Monday of this week. Sir Thomas did not stop at Blairmore, consequently we can only give him "passing" mention.

T. P. Cyr returned from the South Fork last Friday where he had spent a successful two weeks fishing. Some fine fish were brought home and many citizens were supplied with a luscious fish for their Friday's dinner.

E. L. Crane spent Sunday about four miles south of Blairmore in quest of Guzzuks. He reports work progressing on Uncle Ned's church at Beard's camp and that on Sunday morning prayer was concluded with the word "Ahmen!"

The Lilliputians played to a big house on Wednesday night of last week. On Thursday night the main features were an exhibition of sizes and colors, and outside of Tommy Cooper's definition of a bachelor very little excitement was aroused.

An enjoyable reception was tendered the teachers of Blairmore and Frank public schools at the Central Baptist church on Friday night last. A series of games was divided by a luncheon, and the affair brought to a close with "God Save The King" at midnight.

W. A. Beebe paid a flying visit to Macleod on Wednesday.

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James Paton, Alex Parker and Chas. Purvis returned on Saturday from a big game hunt in the Flatheads and North Kootenay Pass country. They brought three magnificent goat heads as trophies of their quest, and report seeing quite a number of the wary climbers as well as a good sign of sheep, deer and other animals.

Don't forget the big auction sale of furniture and household utensils to be held by P. J. Scale at the store next east of C. Hiscocks & Co's on tomorrow, Friday. Sale commences at 2.30 in the afternoon. You can't afford to miss it.

Rev. Charles B. McKinnon, of Fifth avenue Baptist Church, Lethbridge, will preach in Central Baptist church next Sunday, both morning and evening. Rev. J. F. Hunter will be in Lethbridge, taking Mr. McKinnon's pulpit, for Sunday.

The concert given in the opera house on Wednesday night of this week, under the auspices of the Central Baptist Church, was largely attended and a big success. Vocal talent from points between Blairmore and Pincher Creek took part, assisted by musical accompaniment by Mrs. Thorne and others.

On Friday night at 8 o'clock, a social will be given in the Presbyterian church, under the auspices of the organization committee of the Adult Bible Class. It is the intention at this meeting to reorganize the bible class and to get it on a good working basis. Refreshments will be served and a supply of parlor games available, so if you are interested come along and bring your friends, if you have any.

Mrs. H. A. Tait, from Middleton, Nova Scotia, is spending a few days with her son, the manager of the local branch of the Royal Bank of Canada. Mrs. Tait has been visiting at Vancouver, Victoria and other cities on the Pacific Coast and is very much taken up with the natural scenic beauty of all parts of B.C., but particularly with mountain peaks of The Crows' Pass. Mrs. Tait leaves next week to visit her son in Northern Alberta returning to Nova Scotia in October.

At the opera house on Friday night a character bearing the weight of a nom-de-plume like Enrico Wagneri undertook to amuse the audience with his untrainable voice. Fifty per cent of the hearing machines present were soon plugged to relieve further sufferings, and 33 per cent. turned their backs towards the imaginary baritone. It is unfortunate that the management of the opera house should have been imposed upon, and in justice to Mr. Ralph Maddison, the popular baritone of The Pass, we wish to inform the public that he was not present on Friday night, and that to the charge of ever wearying an audience he is not guilty.

The services in the Presbyterian church will be held on Sunday as usual at 11, 2 and 7-30 o'clock. The sermon subjects will be in the morning, "The Doctrine of Man," and in the evening, "Enthusiasm." Owing to lack of room in the Mission Hall, the Adult Bible class will be held at 3 o'clock instead of with the juniors at 2 o'clock. The A.B.C. reopens its work with a social and business meeting on Friday evening the 20th. Everybody interested is heartily invited to any, or all of these meetings. The A.B.C. is one of the most active among the young people's societies of the present day, and it is being looked upon as specially adapted for the requirements of the province of Alberta.

The following were among those registered at the Blairmore hotel during the week: W. J. Morris, C. Baynton, J. R. Keenan and wife, A. E. Fitzgerald, A. G. Findlay, P. N. Andrews, H. H. Weeks, Calgary; W. R. Pearce, Edmonton; W. J. Ryan, A. W. Thomas, Geo. A. Cunliffe, A. E. Gibson, J. T. Parkes, Lethbridge; W. L. Jordan, Colin Macleod, H. C. Metge, Macleod; Inspector Belcher, Dr. J. E. Wright, C. MacLaydon, George Whitaker, Pincher Creek; J. L. Morris, Portland, Ore.; Miss M. Best, Gwen Maguire, James Kent, New York; W. A. Montgomery, Vancouver; R. R. McDonald, A. McLean, Coleman; J. W. McDonald, Carmangay; Mrs. and Miss Williams, Spokane; M. H. Stewart, Stratford; G. A. Breken, New Michel; Arch. G. M. Smart, Winnipeg; J. E. Upton, Pincher Creek; P. C. Bearisto, Medicine Hat; T. W. Cameron, Vancouver; P. N. Andrews and B. Bertrand, Calgary.

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Pollards Juvenile Opera Coming to Blairmore

The "Victoria Colonist" has the following to say of the Pollards Juvenile Opera Company, who are booked to appear at the Blairmore opera house on Friday, October 4th, in "The Missouri Girl:"

"A crowded house in the Victoria theatre last evening at once welcomed the Pollard Juvenile Opera Company back to the city and opened the season at the theatre. It is true that there has been a one-night engagement already which is to the credit of this season, but for the opening of regular run of attractions for 1912-1913 it should be gratifying to Manager Denham that he was able to book the Pollard Juvenile, now on their fifth tour of the world.

It is not the original group of youngsters that are beginning a round of the Canadian cities by playing in the capital of the province nearest their home, but while the members of earlier companies are correspondingly more clever, and it is certain that they are, on last evening's showing, better trained vocally and histrionically. Those of the former boys and girls, who have come back to this continent on this tour come with an assured career in the musical comedy world. Every one is tried and trained and they have in addition to all the experience they have gained the freshness of youth which has always marked the Pollards.

In the company there are several new faces, and these the Miss Patsie Hill, and Mr. Willie Bevan, while among the youngsters of an earlier day—but not so much earlier are Miss Nellie McNamara, Miss Eva Pollard, Miss Leslie Donaghey and Mr. Willie Pollard.

The bill last evening was "Sergeant Brue," a really good musical comedy in that it was both musical and was genuinely comical in its situations. The principals in this and the chorus as well all entered into the spirit of the thing, and gave an interpretation of the story of the metropolitan policeman who rose to be an inspector with an enthusiasm and zest which more completely hid the many shortcomings of the plot than was some given by a cast of adults. The chorus girls were not of the kind theatregoers are used to but they really sang and acted as if they had an interest in what they were doing to enhance the success of the opera and the pleasure of the audience.

"Sergeant Brue" is a bright comedy, which makes the slight demand on the attention as far as plot is concerned, but the lucidental comedy in which cathby music hold the audience which is out to be amused. All the principals in it are well cast. The humor in it is accentuated—in fact, it is created to a great extent—by Teddy McNamara, in the title role, Willie Bevan and Miss Donaghey. Without them the comedy would not be a comedy, no matter if the singing were as good as it undoubtedly is. Teddy McNamara is no stranger to Victoria playergoers, as was made evident as soon as he made his first appearance. He is inimitable in his comedy work. Willie Bevan is a sp'endid comedian and every word and action caused a roar of laghter.

Miss Hill and Miss Williams are worthy additions to the strength of the company, and Miss McNamara has developed a beautiful and well-modulated contralto voice. Miss williams is a fine comedienne, and both her songs were received with deserved applause. Miss Hill and Miss McNamara in their duet, "Daddy," Miss Pollard in her solos and Miss McNamara in her song, "Rose of Honolulu," were very successful and had to repeat.

The chorus is well-trained in voice and as dancers, and in the second act presented a dainty ballet. The setting of the opera was all that could be desired and the whole performance was entirely acceptable to the large house that had been attracted by the return of the Pollard "kiddies." This evening they will be seen in "The Toymaker," in which they have made a hit elsewhere.

Agreement Signed

Ottawa, Sept. 12.—The Alberta government has signed the agreement with the federal authorities by which it secures the subsidy voted last session under the act passed to encourage agriculture. Every province now except British Columbia has availed itself of this subsidy, and has reached an agreement as to the way in which the money is to be spent. The British Columbia agreement will be signed shortly. Half a million dollars was voted under the act, and it was divided amongst the provinces according to population. All the provinces, irrespective of the policies of their government, have co-operated with the minister of agriculture in endeavoring to use the money to the best possible advantage and the scheme promises to work admirably. The Alberta subsidy amounts to $26,094.95.

Liquor License Ordinance

APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF LIQUOR LICENSE

Application has been made by the Blairmore Liquor Company, Limited, for a Wholesale Liquor License to remove to the premises situate on Lot No. 1 in Block 32, in the Town of Blairmore, Alberta, Plan No. 2919 I.

This application will be considered by the Board of License Commissioners at a meeting to be held in the I. O. O. F. Hall, Lethbridge, Alberta, on Friday, the 11th day of October, 1912, at 10 o'clock A.M.

Dated at Edmonton this ninth day of September, 1912.

L. F. CLARRY
Deputy Attorney General.

Liquor License Ordinance

APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF LIQUOR LICENSE

Application has been made by Charles Fuchs for consent to the transfer to himself of the license granted Hugh J. Cunningham in respect to the Union Hotel, situate on Lot 6, Block 33, according to a plan of the S.W. quarter Section 20, Township 7, Range 3, West of the 5th Meridian, Hillcrest, Alberta.

If necessary this application will be considered by the Board of License Commissioners at a meeting to be held in the I. O. O. F. Hall, Lethbridge, Alberta, on Friday, October 11th, 1912, at 10 o'clock A.M.

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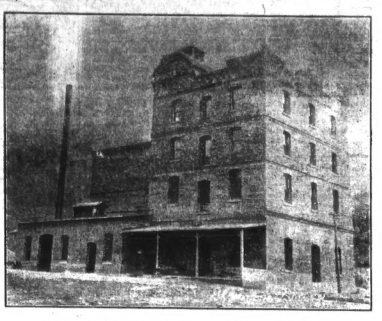

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On Saturday evening, June 29, the Agricultural College Special, run by the Canadian Pacific Railway, completed its very successful tour of the province of Manitoba. The train was on the road for 32 days, and in that time covered all Manitoba tributary to the Canadian Pacific Railway. 87 different points were visited, 1306 addresses given to 22,900 people, which included 9851 men, 7426 women and 5623 of the senior classes of the schools. The following is a brief outline of the work done on the train:

When the train arrived at each stopping place, the car containing the stock, which consisted of three pure bred Holstein cows, one pure bred Hereford fat steer, and four pigs of the best quality of work horses and brood mares, was placed at the unloading platform. The first talk on stock, in which particularly great interest was taken by the farmers, was given by Professor Peters and Mr. Jones, his assistant. The subjects dealt with in horses were the best types to raise in order to secure the highest price. Particular emphasis was laid on raising large heavy horses for the City market, it being shown that if a farmer went in for raising this class of stock, there would be enough smaller horses come even after making his best efforts, to supply horses not too heavy, for the farm, and the others would bring top prices in the City market. The trouble which was experienced last year in disease in foals was gone into thoroughly by Professor Peters, and the best means of stamping out this disease was explained. Fortunately this year the death rate of colts when very young has fallen off, but is still prevalent, and the farmers were eager to find out the best methods of handling the young colts.

The next stock talk on the program was milch cows. The thoroughbred Holstein cows were recommended as a particularly good type for raising on Manitoba farms for dairying purposes, and the Ayrshire was also recommended. The general use of the Jersey was discouraged owing to its inability to stand the rough conditions in the winter on a Manitoba farm on account of her weak constitution. Two of the Holstein cows were shown as being examples of almost perfect animals for milk production, the third one as being as well bred as the other two (all three being the result of a more than a century's breeding for milk production) but what would be called a "weed" in a herd, that is, she turns her food into beef instead of milk, and would not produce in a year more than 2,000 lbs of milk, while a cow after paying for her keep and work in connection with taking care of the milk, must at the least produce 6,000 lbs per year. The point made in this connection was that the selection of breed alone was not enough but also each individual cow had to be selected. The good milking Holstein in order to furnish a good profit, should at least give eight or nine thousand pounds. One cow, a prize cow at Dominion City that year, produced 18,000 lbs of milk, netting to the owner a clear profit of $305.00. In beef cattle, the Hereford steer was shown as directly opposite to the Holstein cows, that is, all the food the Holstein could use was turned into beef production. The raising of what is known as the dual purpose animal was discouraged, it being considered better to go in for milk or beef or both, but not to milk cows intended only for the raising of beef stock.

A smart talk was also given on hog production, and the raising of sheep.

After the stock-judging, Principal Hales of the Brandon Normal School, gave the men a short talk on agricultural education in the Public schools, and advocated strongly more thorough training of our teachers in agriculture, and they in their turn taking up more of the time in teaching that subject in the rural districts and also in small plots for agricultural purposes being attached to each school. The question of consolidated schools was also gone into by Mr. Hales and strongly recommended for most districts.

Professor Lee also gave an interesting lecture on the identification and eradication of weeds. Farmers, who were at the meetings last year came in bringing with them weeds which they had found in their fields and which they were unable to identify, asked their names and the best way of destroying them. Mr. Lee dealt particularly with the destruction of the Sow Thistle, the Canada Thistle, Mustard, Wild Oats and French Weed. The farmers in the Eastern and Southern portions of the Province were apparently anxious to find out the best means of destroying weeds, and the farmers to the West and North, where the weeds as yet have not made the same progress, were anxious for their identification. Some farmers did not know the Sow Thistle, although Mr. Lee was able to find it on their farms. The farmers were warned against this weed in particular, it being really the only weed in Manitoba which takes complete possession of the land, not allowing any grain to grow with it. It is also the only weed which will attack the prairie.

Mr. Harrison gave a talk on fodder crops, particularly on the planing and raising of corn and also showed how a crop of corn could be raised and do as much good as summer fallowing, thus giving the farmer a valuable crop where otherwise his land would be lying idle. Mr. Harrison also spoke on the raising of timothy, clover and alfalfa, warning the farmers to be particularly careful to see that their land was very thoroughly cultivated and inoculated before sowing alfalfa seed.

Principal Black closed the meeting for the men by giving a strong practical talk on the general successful working of a Manitoba farm and on the Agricultural College work, and on the necessity for every young man and woman, who intended to follow farming as a vocation, taking a course in the Agricultural College; that agriculture had to be handled in a scientific way the same, if not more so, than any other business.

The women's part of the program was first taken by Mrs. Salisbury, who gave a very useful and instructive talk on home nursing, sanitary conditions in the home, ventilation, etc.

Professor Broderick then spoke to the women on horticulture and the beautifying of the farm home, the best way of raising house and garden plants, ornamental shrubbery, planting of trees, laying out of lawns, etc.

Professor Herner gave a very interesting talk on poultry-raising and egg production, showing the best way to raise poultry for the market, and also the correct way for handling them in order to produce the greatest number and best quality of eggs, and telling the farmers' wives how to take care of their eggs before marketing them, in such a way that the number of spoiled eggs would be greatly decreased. He also mentioned the best types of hens for egg production, the Barred Plymouth Rock being the favorite, although the raising of most other breeds was not discouraged. The poultry on the farm was shown to be one branch of farm work which could be made the most profitable as a side line with the least outlay.

Professors Mitchell and Crowe took up the work of dairying. Very great interest was manifested in this work by all the women and a great many of the men. There has been so much loss to the farmers in the West owing to not knowing how to make the best grade of butter, and having their butter uniform. The care of the milk and cream was gone into thoroughly; the best utensils for handling milk and cream and the making of butter were shown.

The senior classes of the schools at almost every point came over to the train in a body and were addressed by either Principal Hales, Professor Lee or J. J. Golden on the birds in Manitoba. The great good birds did in killing insects which were harmful to all vegetation, the need of getting sufficient trees around the farm so that the birds would stay in the districts. It was felt that if the children were educated along these lines, the great destruction of birds which now takes place would be stopped. Many birds which the average child thinks to be harmful, such as hawks, were shown to be really useful on the farm. The children then had a talk on the identification of weeds and were told in a simple way the best methods of getting rid of them.

All the meetings were opened with a short address, explaining to the farmers why the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. and the Agricultural College staff thought it necessary to run the train, the interest the Canadian Pacific Railway took in the farmers who were living along their line and the desire for better farming, and for having prosperous farmers living along the Company's lines. The farmers were also invited when they came to Winnipeg to call on the officials of the Company, who were always glad to have them come in and discuss matters of mutual interest. Brief remarks were made on the better care of machinery on the average Manitoba farm, and on good roads showing how the farmer could save considerable in his transportation charges by hauling his grain to market over a good road, the difference in hauling on a good road and a poor road on 1,000 bushels for a distance of 6 miles being over $40.00. Emphasis was also laid upon the necessity of higher education for the young men and young women on the farm; that every farmer should if he could at all afford it, send his sons and daughters to the Agricultural College to take a course. This would prevent so many young men and young women leaving the farms and drifting into the cities where they came with no special training and usually were only able to secure unremunerative employment, whereas if they were sent to the Agricultural College they would not leave the farm, but on the contrary would rather remain on them and would make better farmers and better citizens.

Altogether the meetings were a great success. In many places the train was met by brass bands; at other places the farmers presented Principal Black with an address of welcome, in which they spoke of the good done by the train last year, and the hope was generally expressed that the train would be made an annual affair. Many kind remarks were heard on all sides as to the generosity of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in furnishing the train to the people free of charge. The announcement made in regard to the Company starting demonstration farms for the benefit of the farmers in the vicinity in which they were located was always greeted with much appreciation and many farmers expressed the hope that the C.P.R. would locate a farm of this description in their district as it would have a very beneficial effect in keeping before them all the time the best methods of farming. Principal Black and staff expressed their great appreciation of the way in which the train was handled.

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Three men were injured in the crowd that rushed to buy.

She's as pretty as a picture, said the young man.

Yes, replied the young woman, with a sidelong glance at her rival's complexion, and hand-painted, too.

McAndrews (the chemist at 2 a.m.)—Two penn'orth of bicarbonate of soda for the wife's indigestion at this time of night, when a glass of hot water does just as well—

Sandy (hastily)—Weel, weel! Thanks for the advice. I'll no bother ye, after all. Good night!

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Little Boy (to gardner)—Jones, why do you always pull your barrow behind you, instead of pushing it?

Jones—'Cos I 'ates the sight of the beastly thing.

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One of the girls at an examination in grammar in Maynooth School, when asked why the noun 'bachelor' was singular, blushingly answered:—Because it is very singular they don't get married.

She went up to the head of the class

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper

Never Thought of It

Gibbs—I can't find "aeroplane" in this dictionary.

Dibbs—Have you looked on the fly leaf?—Boston Transcript.

Attacks of cholera and dysentery come quickly, those seldom being any warning of the visit. Remedial action must be taken just as quickly if the patient is to escape great suffering and permanent injury to the lining membranes of the bowels. The readiest preparation for the purpose is Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial. It can be got at small cost at any drug store or general dealer's, and it will afford relief before a doctor can be called.

From the Wild West

An English actor was a member of a company snowbound in the Sierras while en route from California to the East. Before their train was pulled out of the drifts they had been reduced to eating the coarse fare of the railroad laborers, and got little enough even of that. So that they all had a magnificent hunger on when the train reached a small station at which there was a restaurant, and the Englishman was the first to find a seat at the table.

Bring me in a hurry, he said to the landlord, a burly Western man, a porterhouse steak, some devilled kidneys, a brace of chops, plenty of vegetables, and two bottles of Bass's bitter beer.

The landlord stuck his head out of the dining room

Finding a Treasure

It Puts a Gentleman Into a Muddle

By ARTHUR LANGLEY

Wilkins was bored. [illegible]

Throwing down a newspaper on the table of the reading room of his club, he arose from his chair, strolled out to the cigar stand, lit a cigarette, smoked for a few minutes, threw away the stump, walked to the club entrance and stood with his hands in his pockets, wondering what next he should do to kill time.

"Cab!"

A vehicle was wheeled from the line of cabs standing before the club to the curb opposite him, and he entered it, telling the jehu to drive him to the —— theater, where he intended to buy tickets for that evening's performance.

On the seat beside him lay a lady's hand bag. Wilkins took it up, looked at it, opened it and examined the contents with a view to discovering to whom it belonged. Its found there was diversified as those in a boy's pocket, but there was only one article that gave him any hope of identifying the owner of the property, a brown paper parcel five or six inches long, two inches broad and an inch thick. Finding no address or other mark on it, he concluded it to be a shopping purchase and put it back in the bag. But, desiring to exhaust every means of finding a clew to the owner, he took it out again and unrolled it. He found bills to the amount of $20,000.

His ennui left him instantly.

Not that he felt elated at winding an accession to his fortune, for he had no idea of keeping his find, but that it was evident the money had been left inadvertently in the carriage by a woman and there would be something for him to do to trace her and return the money.

Moreover, there was a daintiness about the bag and its contents that caused him to fancy the owner was young. Then, again, a middle aged woman would not likely be so careless as to leave a small fortune in a cab, and an old one would be no more likely to be riding about with so much in her possession. At any rate, Wilkins would have it that the lady was young, and, having gone thus far, he decided she must be attractive. She had doubtless been the last person to occupy the cab before him, and the driver could tell him about her. Wilkins put the bag and contents under his coat and when he left the cab asked the driver for information concerning his late fare.

Wilkins was informed that she was a young lady who had been taken to before a dry goods store and had been driven to a bank. She had come out of the bank and re-entered the carriage, ordering him to drive to another store, where she alighted and said he be ill., She had staggered into the store and disappeared. He had waited some time for her, but as she didn't reappear he gave up waiting for her and drove away.

On thinking the matter over Wilkins did not believe there would be much hunting involved in this case. The loss would be advertised, and all he needed to do was to watch the personal columns in the newspapers. This he did for a week, but not seeing this notice he expected he concluded that either the young lady had taken other means to recover her loss or had been ill or possibly might have died. He inquired at police headquarters if any such loss had been reported, but gained no clew in this way. He did not care to make known his find, for he knew that if he did there would be many claimants, and it would be difficult to head off some of the more ingenious ones.

The matter dragged along till Wilkins began to be troubled at holding so large an amount of some other person's money. Then one day he confided the matter to his friend Brodwell. Brodwell said that he had seen an advertisement of a large amount of money having been left in a cab, but just when he had seen the notice he couldn't remember, nor could he recollect the newspaper in which it had appeared.

Wilkins made a search through the newspapers issued since he had found the money, but they were so voluminous that he failed to find what he looked for. This was discouraging. He began to fear that his keeping the money would get him into trouble. Probably the matter had been put into the hands of detectives who might be on his track. He was decided to turn the matter over to the police, but feared his reasons for keeping it secret would not be accepted. At any rate, he might suffer in the opinion of the public, who would know all about the affair.

Being an imaginative man, he permitted himself to brood over the situation, instead of a romance he had caught a tartar. He began to wish the money was in the bottom of the sea. Indeed, he thought of putting it there. The bills were a burden to him. He didn't like to put them in the bank for the demand of such a sum might excite a suspicion that would lead to the fact getting out that he had a large sum in his possession which did not belong to him. That discovery might lead to very unpleasant consequences. He kept the money in his safe deposit box.

But even in so secret a place he did not feel easy. He had invented all sorts of fears. Supposing he should loose the key to her box and were arrested for keeping money that did not belong to him. In that case he would not be able to make restitution.

One day on taking a cab at his club he noticed that his driver was the man in whose vehicle he had made the find. Wilkins hastened to ask him if he had heard of or seen the young lady who had gone into a store and had not returned. He said that he had. She had caused inquiries to be made for him and finally found him, but he had fainted in the store and remained unconscious for some time. He had been closely questioned by a man in her interest and she quite sure he had been shadowed by a detective. Asked whom he had driven next after the young lady, he could not remember.

Wilkins was all in a flutter at this information. He realized that he must take some action in the matter, but feared anything he might do would redound to his injury. When a man is rattled he usually goes wrong. Wilkins asked the cabman to drive him the young lady's address, and when the man said he hadn't it Wilkins told him not to say anything about him in the matter for the present and handed him a ten dollar bill.

Wilkins as soon as he had taken this step saw that he had put himself in the position of having taken a cab driver man to conceal his identity. He could not sleep at nights for thinking of what a frightful fool it would be should he be pounced upon by a detective and forced to confess that he had been keeping a large sum of money that did not belong to him. It was evident the loser of the money believed that it had fallen into the hands of some one who was intending to keep it and was taking measures to find that person.

All this was more than Wilkins had bargained for. He grew thin and haggard and began to fear that his appearance alone would incriminate him. What he desired was to know the address of the young lady that he might return the money anonymously, or if he could discover that she was of a kindly, sympathetic disposition he might go to her, confess that he had her money and beg her to believe his story and not expose him to an unmerciful world.

One day the coachman involved in the matter called for him at the club and said he had something to communicate. Wilkins was careful to take him to the sidewalk, where no one would hear what was said, and the cabman began:

"I've seen the young leddy again, sir, and she was in the bank. I saw she drew a large sum from the bank, and, bein' sick, when she got out of my cab left the money behind. I guess the next time I see her I must a' found it and is keepin' what don't belong to him. She's offered me $1,000 reward if I'll get her money back."

Here was an additional complication. If Wilkins returned the money, ignoring the cabman, he would have made it hot for him. Wilkins by this time was in a condition of mind to see a term in the penitentiary staring him in the face. Instead of being collected together, returning the money openly and trusting to his ability to come out of the affair unscathed, he had the man for the lady's address, promising to see that he got something by way of reward. But the cabman by this time had come to believe that there was a good deal in it and declined to give the address unless Wilkins would pay him out of the finds the reward the young lady had offered. When Wilkins demurred at this, the fellow threatened to report him as the man who was holding the money.

So Wilkins took the address, gave the man a thousand dollars and, taking the bag containing the bills just as he had found them, called on the young lady. Handing them to her, he waited till her delight had somewhat subsided, then gave her a graphic account of his finding the bag. He without a word of advertisement, his missing it when it appeared and, lastly, his having been drawn into the position of retaining funds that did not belong to him.

"I weighed," he said dolefully in conclusion, "when I found your bag 170 pounds. Look at me now. I can barely pull down 140."

"You poor man!" exclaimed the girl, repressing a smile.

Wilkins said nothing about the thousand dollars hush money he had paid the cabman. That was his own secret, and he did not propose to divulge it.

"Of course," said the girl, "you are entitled to a reward, and I beg of you after all the trouble and worry you have had in the matter to accept at least the amount I offered the cabman. I assure you I would feel so much more comfortable at your receiving something."

A gentleman, a member of a swell club, to receive a reward for returning money found! Not be.

"Since the cabman," she went on, "has been instrumental in the return of my property I shall pay him the reward I offered him."

Wilkins seeing that he must tell the rest of the story or the cabman would receive double pay, made a confidante of his hostess and explained.

There was something so delightfully human in this and to the matter that she was touched beyond measure. She could not induce Wilkins to permit her to reimburse him, but in time he discovered that she had given him her heart, and it was not long before her hand and her fortune went with it.

"You never can tell," says Wilkins, "when you're getting a bargain. The thousand dollars I paid that cabman brought me two treasures—the one a wife, the other her estate."

STORIES OF THE STAGE.

A Splendid Accident Averted and an Actor Who Dined Too Well.

Here is an incident that was related by Mr. Bram Stoker, for many years manager to Irving of the production of "Hamlet" at the Lyceum in London.

On the second night of the performance the Chinese ambassador and Sir Halliday Macartney came to see Irving in his dressing room, and presently the ambassador, who was wearing magnificent robes of mandarin yellow, wandered off in the direction of the stage. The ambassador was close to the edge of the arch at the back of the scene, where Ophelia had made her entrance and would make her exit. Mr. Stoker "hoped for him and just succeeded in catching him before he had passed into the blaze of the limelight." I could fancy the sudden amazement of the audience and the wild roar of laughter that would follow when in the midst of this most and and pathetic of scenes would enter unheralded this gorgeous anachronism."

Mr. Stoker confessed that he was tempted to let the splendid accident occur. "Its unique visitation would have insured a widespread publicity not to be acquired by ordinary forms of advertisement."

On another occasion a very different and very painful contretemps did occur. The actor who took the part of Polonius on entering gave his first line with so strange an intonation that Irving at once signed to the prompter to let fall the act drop, came forward and apologized to the audience and restarted the play with a new Polonius!—London Graphic.

WOMEN AND CARD GAMES.

In Chile Such a Combination Would Create a Sensation.

A woman who is a native of Chile was talking recently about the difficulty she had is accustoming herself to card playing among women when she came to this country. She said:

"In Chile card playing among women is undreamed of. Perhaps it is not too much to say that a Chilean woman would no more play cards than a New York woman would enter a Broadway saloon. It isn't that it is exactly or wholly a matter of morals with us. It just isn't the thing to do. It is not conventional.

"When I came to New York I brought my daughter-in-law with me, a Chilean girl. She and I were both horribly shocked to receive an invitation to a bridge party in the daytime. We accepted the invitation and declined. Other similar invitations came and kept coming. Finally our curiosity got the best of us, and we went to one of these affairs. Even after we got over our sense of outraged convention the whole thing seemed curious to us.

"The funniest sight of all was the women with little tags on them, as it marked by the last expressman, running up to another woman with a little card to be 'punched.' Finally we got so familiar with the expressmen, to 'take a hand,' but even yet I never do it without a covert feeling that I am putting myself beyond the pale."—New York Post.

Handicapped.

"Ah tell yo'," said the negro who was working on the man's shoes, "woman is a peculiah thing. Yo' gotta know jes' how to handle hah jes' lah yo' gun if yo' gits de mah. Lots of times she'll git mad at yo' an' then yo' gotta talk to hub. Talk to hub—that's the way to handle hah. Yo' jes' won't stand fo' no beatin' or nothin' lah that. Talk to hub. That's the way Ah handle ma wife."

Another negro working next to him looked up. "Whah did yo' git that black eye yo' got, Rufe?" he asked.

"Well, ah done it, ah reckon."

"Why didn't yo' talk to hub?"

"How could Ah?—came from the first. "She had me by the throat wif de wind shet off."—New York Telegraph.

Cracks in the Floor.

There are several ways of stopping the cracks in a floor between boards that have shrunken apart. One is to tear newspapers into small bits and soak them in flour paste, having the paste warm. Stir this until thick and fill the crack with it, using a broad knife to assist the paste down into the cracks. Or sawdust and glue may be used with the same result. To a pound of glue allow a gallon of water, and when melted stir into it fine sawdust until it is stiff paste. Fill the cracks with this, packing it as solidly as possible, smoothing even with a broad knife.

A Crushee.

Cleveland once made a joke. An effusive politician burst in upon him and exclaimed loudly, "Mr. President, I owe you an apology."

"What for?" asked Cleveland.

"For not having called upon you earlier, sir."

"Well," said Cleveland curtly, "I haven't been lonesome."

Fairy Stories.

Mr. Bacon—When a woman tells a fairy story she always begins like this: "Once upon a time." Mrs. Bacon—Yes, and when a man tells a fairy story he always begins like this: "There, now, dear, don't be angry with me. You see, it was like this."—Yonkers Statesman.

Didn't Have to Make Her.

"Well, I saw my wife off for the West Indies this morning."

"Sensible?"

"No; she went of her own accord."—Princeton Tiger.

A PROBLEM IN PICTURES.

And the Peculiar Coincidence by Which it Was Solved.

Some years ago a publishing house was preparing to issue a new edition of the writings of Thoreau, writer Charles S. Olcott in Art and Progress. The head of the house and a member of the firm had been in consultation about the method of illustration. It was agreed that the pictures must be true to nature, but how to get them was the problem. Artists who do book illustrating could not be expected to go into the woods and make pictures which would in any way assist the text to reveal nature as Thoreau saw it. Photographs would be admirable, but wher was the professional photographer to be found who would undertake to go into Thoreau's country in sunshine and rain, in summer and winter, to catch all the phases of nature which Thoreau recorded in his "Journal?"

While the two men pondered a caller at the outer office with a large portfolio under his arm. Five years before he had read Thoreau's "Journal" and had taken up his residence in Concord that he might visit the scenes there described. In all seasons and all kinds of weather he had wandered through the woods and over the fields with his camera. Passionately fond of nature, he was no less devoted to art. To him photography was a pastime. To him it was a profession. For the pure love of nature and of art and with no thought of pecuniary gain he had accomplished the very feat which the two business men had thought so difficult, and by a curious coincidence he appeared at the office to exhibit the result of his work at the precise moment when its desirability was being discussed.

BURIED LIVING PERSONS.

Horrible Custom of Japanese Prior to Year 646 A. D.

Prior to the year 646 A. D. the Japanese had one of the most horrible burial customs that can be imagined—that of burying all the immediate friends and relatives of a prince or other person of note in a standing position around the potentate's grave and leaving them in the earth up to their necks to perish of thirst and hunger.

The custom cannot be said to have been general as late as the date given, for the Japanese records prove that in the time of the Emperor Suinin (97-30 B. C.) the burial rites of royal personage were so modified as to partially both lessen the pain. Speaking of a young brother of Suinin, who died and had his retinue buried standing around his grave, the old record says: "For many days they died not, but wept and cried aloud. At last they died. Dogs and crows assembled and fed on their bodies. The emperor's compassion was aroused, and he desired to change the manner of burial. When the empress died, soon after, the mikado inquired of his officers if something to the way of a change could not be made, and one proposed to make clay figures of men and bury them as substitutes."

That this did not entirely do away with the former custom is proved by an edict issued in the year 646 A. D., the date given first above, which forbade the burial of living persons and provided a penalty for further adherence to the awful rite.—St. Louis Republic.

Old Time Personally Conducted Tour.

The campanile looked down upon the first agencies for conducted tours of which we have record. Five hundred years ago Venice controlled the pilgrim traffic to the Holy Land, and quite a number of firms made a good thing of it. They had their offices in St. Mark's square, with all the apparatus of advertisement—handbills, flags and commissionaires. The contract stipulated how much space aboard a ship and what food each pilgrim was to get, and the agents undertook not merely to carry the pilgrim across the sea, but to conduct him personally to Jerusalem and to take over all negotiations with the officials. For the whole journey the charge was 25 to 50 ducats, a third to be paid before starting, a third in Palestine and a third after returning home.—Manchester Guardian.

Written in Slang.

Mathew Henry's commentary on the Bible was written for the common people and in the slang of the day. In commenting on Judges iv. he says: "We are here told by what acts Ahimelech got into the saddle. He hired for his service all the scum and scoundrels of the country. Jothan was really a fine gentleman. The Sechemites were the first to kick him off. They set all up in his place and then came to their belly gods. They drank health to his confusion."

A Bold, Bad Man.

The phrase "A bold, bad man," now worn threadbare and comic, belongs to Spenser, who applied it to the Archimago of "The Faerie Queene" (t. 1, 37): A bold, bad man that dared to call by name

Unreasonable.

"I suppose your chief creditor is very unreasonable?"

"Well, I should say so. But even at that he acts as though I were living above his means."—Pittsburg Bulletin.

A Safe Lover.

Perkins—Does the young man who is courting your daughter leave at a reasonable hour? Tuff—Yes; I have no reason to kick.—Boston Transcript.

"A good heart is worth gold."—Lord Tennyson.

"Be good in a heart that seems set to hoard good liberal."—William Henry Phelps.

A CHANCERY ROMANCE.

Helping a Friend, He Unearthed a Fortune For Himself.

Perhaps there is no more curious chapter in the history of the chancery courts than that of two Pittsburgh men. The first had a claim to a small estate abroad, but he did not have the money to pay the claim agency to make a search, so he got a friend to back him.

This friend's name was Peterman, and the money he advanced was like a grub stake—he was gambling on his friend's claim proving up.

One day when Peterman was at the claim agency office he came upon that advertisement in the agency files: "Peterman (Albertus), musician, born in Amsterdam in 1829, son of Charles Frederick and Henrietta Susanna Gasman. Left for Liverpool in 1856. He is sought for inheritance by M. Contot, avocat, 21 Boulevard St. Germain, Paris."

That was the inception of the famous "Kinsey docks" case, the same coming from the fact that the original Peterman was last seen at Kinsey docks, in Liverpool. The claim agency took the matter in hand, traced Peterman's heirs back and enabled them to establish a good claim to an inheritance of $200,000.

Thus was a case of fortune being thrust upon a man. — Lewis Edwin Theiss in Harper's Weekly.

JOBS FOR THE INDIGENT.

Swiss Method of Solving the Problem of the Unemployed.

In Switzerland the people act upon the theory that a man who is unemployed is, if left to himself, liable to become a waste by being a subject of charity and a tax upon the community. Therefore the problem is considered as an economic question.

The purpose is to assist the unfortunate unemployed to secure work, not only for the sake of his family, but in the interests of the state. There is no toleration for the loafer. Begging is prohibited by the law, and vagrancy is classified as a crime.

If an unemployed person does not make a serious effort to find work the authorities will find it for him, and he is compelled to perform it. If he refuses he is placed in the workhouse, where strict discipline is maintained and every inmate is required to work to his full capacity, receiving therefor his board and lodging and from 6 to 10 cents a day in wages.

There are also institutions where temporary employment is furnished to persons out of work, through no fault of their own, and comfortable accommodations and some money compensation given until they can find more remunerative wages.—Chicago Tribune.

Motherly Advice.

"My dear, you must be so sharp with strange young men. You know you may give them a wrong impression."

"What's the matter now, mother?"

"You scarcely spoke a word to that young man you were introduced to last evening."

"I didn't like his way, mother."

"Did you know him?"

"No; I had never set eyes on him before."

"Do you know anything about him?"

"Nothing, except that he seemed to me to be very impertinent."

"Still, you shouldn't have snubbed him, at least until you had learned more about him. Once I snubbed a young man that my way without knowing who he was, and I regretted it ever after, because I found out later that he was very rich. I might have married him if I had been more careful."—Detroit Free Press.

Why Bruises Become Black and Blue.

The color of blood is due chiefly to iron in the little blood cells, which are living and travel around in the blood vessels, the color is red. Hit the skin hard enough to break some of the little blood vessels beneath the surface and the little red cells escape from the injured blood vessels, wander about for awhile in the tissues and die. When they die the iron that made them red before then changes to black and blue coloring. After some time the iron is taken up by the glands called the lymphatics and made over again into nice red cells. The iron is taken up very much more quickly by the lymphatics if the black and blue spot is rubbed and massaged. —St. Nicholas.

His Painful Debut.

"I shall not easily forget my debut," Sir Charles Wyndham said on one occasion. "We opened at Washington, and I appeared as a character who had to declare, 'I am drunk with love and enthusiasm.' Having uttered the first three words, I was seized with stage fright and said no more. This is what I read in a New York paper the next morning: 'A Mr. Wyndham represented a young man from South America. He had better go there himself.'"

Riches and Contentment.

"Contentment is better than riches," said the rapid-fire philosopher.

"True," replied Mr. Dustin Staz, "but my observation is that a man who is rich has a better chance of becoming content than a poor man who is contented has of becoming rich."—Washington Star.

Alike, Yet Different.

Mrs. Youngbride—My husband is very determined. He never gives up. Mrs. Rosebud (sadly)—Neither does mine.—Boston Globe.

"You can do in a second what it takes years to get over regretting."—New York Press.

God form

Consideration For Others.

It goes without saying that consideration for others is one of the twelve pillars of the law of good breeding and a very important one. Everybody recognizes this in a general way, yet many people do not realize how large a share it has in the technical rules of etiquette. Thus punctuality is said to be the politeness of kings, but punctuality is dictated by a consideration for others as well as by the desire to have everything move in a smooth and orderly manner. Guests at a dinner must arrive at the hour named or five minutes after lest they keep the party assembled waiting for them. Fifteen minutes is the utmost limit allowed to tardy comers.

A hostess who invites friends to visit her simply because she is bored and wants them to amuse her violates, perhaps unconsciously, the laws of hospitality. People who have a great deal of money and little to do sometimes offend in this way. Time hangs heavy on their hands, and they are delighted to have some young girl or clever young man come to stay with them to brighten them up. If they provide amusement for the visitors or give them something desirable which they do not get at home, such as automobiling, coasting or skating, there is no objection to their expecting these favors to make them some return in the way of agreeable talk.

Elderly persons or those living quietly in the country should remember that the daily routine of their existence may seem dull to active young people accustomed to more life and excitement. Let us all beware lest we become social vampires, draining the vitality of those who come near us.

The woman who throws open her house for the sole purpose of displaying its expensive furniture and appointments is worse than her "bored" sister, because she adds pride to selfishness. A story is told of two rival leaders in a large American city which shows to what depths of vulgarity one may descend if one permits pride to replace good feeling toward others. Mrs. X. appeared at a ball wearing a costume of magnificent brocade which quite eclipsed the gown of Mrs. K. The latter congratulated her rival on the beauty of her dress and urged her to wear it at a reception which she (Mrs. K.) proposed to give a week or two later. Mrs. X., not dreaming of any treachery, cordially complied with the request. Imagine her feelings when on arriving at the house of Mrs. K. she found that the latter had had all her dresses made from brocades covered with the admired brocade!

Do You Sit Correctly?

In the good old days a lady would no more think of sitting with her elbows on the table and of crossing her legs than she would think of eating with her knife. Now such actions are so common as to pass almost unnoticed.

The girl who leans habitually on her elbows soon ruins them. The skin roughens and reddens, eventually becoming callous and horny. Worse yet, the pressure of the body on the elbow stops the circulation and reddens the skin of the entire arm.

More dangerous is the habit common to many women of crossing one knee with one leg swung over the knee of the other. The pressure comes at a sensitive part of the leg and knee, a spot where there are a number of large veins, arteries and nerves. The pressure stops circulation, crowds the tissues together and produces various ills.

Many a woman who suffers from headache or numbness will find it relieved if she ceases to sit with her legs crossed. The tight leg garter itself produces varicose veins, a red nose, bruised spots and other ills attendant on stopped circulation.

It will be easier to conquer this bad habit if a woman makes a practice of sitting erect on chair or sofa with the end of her spine pressed close against the back of her chair. This will throw her feet in a natural position on the ground, and the temptation to lout or sit cross legged is minimized.

Good Form For Week Ends.

The girl who goes on a summer visit with little baggage and a small purse often finds herself feeling very soiled and crumpled before many days are over. Repeatedly in this case when the holiday takes the form of a little tour abroad, it is difficult and expensive to get washing done, and much baggage is out of the question, yet the strenuous round of sightseeing has its effect on one's clothes, and the fact of being among strangers does not in the least make lack of distinctness excusable or more easily endured.

A great friend at these times is a spirit lamp, its cost, several dollars, may seem a considerable item in the outfit, but will soon be repaid in comfort, and there will be no temptation to wear and buy coffee (quite unsuitable) blouses or scarfs to substitute for the original crumpled supply.

A muslin blouse, a jabot or a few fine handkerchiefs are easily washed out in one's own room.

A bottle of soap jelly and another of gum water should be brought from home. This is made by dissolving gum arabic crystals, two ounces to a pint, in hot water. It serves instead of starch for the muslin blouse, and, besides, can be used to freshen up chiffon and gauze scarfs and veils.

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Pass Retailers To Combat The Dead-Beater By New Methods

Steps are being taken to establish a branch of the Retail Merchants' Association in the Crows' Nest Pass, which will prove a great benefit to the merchants interested in the credit system as well as an exposition of the dead-beater who has his mind made up to stick everyone he can and in every other town he can. Such characters will have their names published in a "black book" for reference of members of the association all over the province, and in this way the work of the dead-beater will be very much eliminated.

The retail merchants of all the provinces under the credit system have lost sums of money which aggregate into a surprising total by the ravages of the unscrupulous debtor, otherwise known as the "dead-beat." These people have the habit of dealing in one town until their credit is exhausted entirely, then they quietly pack up their goods and sneak out to some other part, to repeat the same operations. We have known instances of these people merely moving from one town to another, or from one town to a city a short distance away, and it is this fact which makes it necessary for some strong organization to combat this proposition.

In order that the retail merchants of the province might be kept closely in touch with all the new ideas in connection with the retail trade, and also with the progress that is being made by the association towards better conditions for the retailer, it is deemed wise to publish a monthly magazine. The first issue of this magazine went forward on August 1st. It will be the duty of this magazine to expose whenever necessary any fraud which is working a hardship upon the retail merchants of the province, and the publication of a "black-list" of unscrupulous debtors.

Brief Mention

Lethbridge Dry Farming Congress opens on October 21st

Few, if any medicines, have met with Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. The remarkable cures of colic and diarrhoea which it has effected in almost every neighborhood have given it a wide reputation. For sale by all dealers.

Eleven cats were recently put in the pound at Blairmore. They escaped and now the city is looking for a better pound.—Greenwood Ledge.

Running up and down stairs, sweeping and leaning over making beds will not make a woman healthy or beautiful. She must get out doors, walk a mile or two every day and take Chamberlain's Tablets to improve her digestion and regulate her bowels. For sale by all dealers.

Mrs. "Jack" Johnson, wife of the "big smoke," suicided at Chicago last week. Mrs. J. was a white woman and daughter of Mrs. David Terry, of Graceland.

The implicit confidence that many people have in Chamberlain's Colic, Colera and Diarrhoea Remedy is founded on their experience in the use of that remedy and their knowledge of the many remarkable cures of colic, diarrhoea and dysentery that it has effected. For sale by all dealers.

Killed in Coleman Mine

An accident occurred in the McGillivray Coal Co.'s mine at Coleman on Tuesday at noon, which resulted in the death of a French miner named Emile Genjanbre. Genjanbre was coming off shift when a pile of rock tumbled on him causing a dislocation of the spinal column. Genjanbre was about thirty-four years of age and leaves a widow at Coleman. Funeral takes place this afternoon under the auspices of the I.O.O.F., of which he was a devout member, and assisted by the U.M.W. of A.

An inquest was held on Wednesday, the jury finding that death was from purely accidental causes and no blame could be attached to anyone.

Miner Found Dead At Police Flats

A miner named Steve Kampan was found dead in the mine at Police Flats on Monday by some fellow miners. Kampan should have come off shift at 4 o'clock, but failed to put in an appearance. When found his body was lying face upwards, and the circumstances surrounding his death are of a very peculiar character. Coroner Pinkney was summoned from Blairmore and an inquest held Tuesday afternoon, but inquest had to be adjourned till the 30th inst. to give time to consider the case and gather more evidence.

Kompan was 28 years of age and leaves a widow residing at Passburg.

Agreement is Reached

An agreement has been arrived at between the operators and the C.P.R. to the effect that the company agrees to a 12 per cent increase in wages, a ten-hour day, time and a quarter overtime, Sundays at a pro rata of 26 days a month, 5 per cent increase for dispatchers who will be paid extra for Sundays or else allowed one day a week off, linemen will receive 10 p. c. increase and expenses when away from home.

As Others See Stampedes

The Stampede has now become history. What if the Indians have wasted two weeks in the city, also a month before preparing for it and will waste a month getting over it, when they should have been at the harvesting of their crops at home and preparing for the long winter. Think of the education (God save the mark?) and the good time they have had not to speak of the civilizing influence of the war paint and the utilitarian value of the gands they have purchased from the pale-face brother. What if the Great Spectacle has attracted to Calgary an army of thugs and crooks from the charnel-house of a continent!

Only one policeman in the discharge of duty, has fallen a victim at the hands of some of the outlaws that are usually attracted by such affairs. Forget the one unfortunate cowboy, who has lost his life and left a widow and children to the mercies of a cold world. Forget the unpleasant (but doubtess ennobling) features of the steer "bulldogging" spectacle. The merchant has got rid of some of his shopworn goods, the restaurateurs attained independency of means through "hot-dog" sales. Did your bed cost you five dollars for the night, have you not seen the Greatest Stampede ever? Calgary's Great Four has advertised Calgary. "And things like this, you know, must be,

At every famous victory."

—Granum News

New School Rooms

Blairmore's School Teachers Are Given Room To Kick.

The new addition to the Blairmore public school is nearing completion, and the building now has a very attractive and commanding appearance. The new addition is built upon a whole basement walled with stone and having a concrete floor. This basement is intended for a playroom for the girl pupils when weather conditions are such as to make out-door play unpleasant.

The first floor contains one large room, capable of accommodating some sixty pupils, and equipped with about forty feet of slate black-board. A well slanted stairway leads from the hallway to the second flat, where another large room is added and equipped in a similar manner.

The desks for the two new rooms were ordered last week and as soon as they arrive these rooms will be opened up for teaching.

The school now has six rooms and six teachers, as compared with four rooms and four teachers a year ago. The attendance at present is about 220, while others are being added to the roll every week.

Improving The Service

Messrs. McKay and Moores, of the Alberta Government Telephones department, Edmonton, were in town this week, making arrangements for the issue of a separate telephone directory for Blairmore. Blairmore now has the distinction of being the third town in Southern Alberta to be favored with a separate local directory, only Lethbridge and Medicine Hat preceding.

The new directory will include some three hundred local subscribers and covers a district between Burmis and Crows' Nest.

For some time past the public have been agitating for a complete revision of the local telephone list, and it is gratifying to note that the department is realizing the importance of the district and the urgent needs for improvements.

The staff at the central telephone exchange at Blairmore has just been augmented by the addition of several "hello girls," and every effort is being put forth to ensure a good all-round service in the future.

A new key-board will arrive this week from Edmonton and will be installed at once.

The telephone department are also taking steps to give us a better long-distance service, and very soon we shall enjoy as good service here as in any other part of the province.

The new directory will be out in about ten days.

Anniversary Concert

At the Baptist concert last night, the following well known vocalists took part: Mrs. J. H. Lee, Blairmore; Mrs. C. W. Taysum, Pincher Creek; A. W. McMurdo, Cowley; all of whom were well received. Miss Williams rendered several pleasing pianoforte selections, as did also Mrs. L. Thorne, the accompanist. We regret that space will not permit us to give an account of this concert in detail.

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Coleman Notes

A meeting of the Crows' Nest Pass Liquor Association was held here on Tuesday.

The ball given by the Rebekahs on Tuesday night was one of the most successful social events in Coleman's history.

Miss J. Hume has resigned from the teaching staff. The vacancy has been filled by Miss Cameron, from Springhill, Nova Scotia.

Geo. A. Clair and bride returned to town last week from their honeymoon trip. "George" surprised everybody by quitting the ranks of Bachelors.

A special meeting of the Macleod Presbytery will be held at St. Andrew's church, Lethbridge, on Tuesday next, Sept. 24th, at 2 p.m., to consider a call from that church to Rev. T. M. Murray, of Coleman.

Our town was favored on Monday last by a visit from Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the C.P.R. Sir Thomas and party spent a couple of hours taking in the sights of the town and returned east at night.

Rev. J. G. G. Bonnar, who had been relieving Rev. T. M. Murray as pastor of the Institutional church for the past few months, left on Sunday night last for Winnipeg, where he will re-enter upon his studies at Manitoba College.